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### NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A public hearing will be held by the City Planning Commission in the Committee of the Whole Room, 13<sup>th</sup> floor of the Coleman A. Young Municipal Center, 2 Woodward Avenue, Detroit, Michigan 48226, on

#### THURSDAY, MAY 2, 2019 AT 5:15 PM

to consider the request of Parkstone Development Partners on behalf of Wilbur Block, LLC to amend District Map No. 7 of the Detroit Zoning Ordinance to show a SD2 (Special Development District, Mixed Use) zoning classification where a M4 (Intensive Industrial District) zoning classification is currently shown for the properties generally bounded by Baltimore Avenue on the north, the Lodge Expressway on the east, Holden Avenue on the south, and Lincoln Avenue on the west and more commonly known as 6302, 6310, 6320 Lincoln and 1262, 1240 and 1234 Wilbur Street.

The petitioner is proposing a mixed-use development to include approximately 43 apartments and over 5,000 square feet of retail space.

The existing and proposed districts are generally described in the Zoning Ordinance as follows:

#### M4 INTENSIVE INDUSTRIAL DISTRICT

This district will permit uses which are usually objectionable and, therefore, the district is rarely, if ever, located adjacent to residential districts. A broad range of uses is permitted in this district. New residences are prohibited with the exception of loft conversions of existing buildings and of residential uses combined in structures with permitted commercial uses. These requirements are to protect residences from an undesirable environment and to ensure reservation of adequate areas for industrial development.

## SD2 SPECIAL DEVELOPMENT DISTRICT, MIXED-USE

This district is designed to encourage a complementary mixture of more intensive pedestrian- and transit-oriented uses that may be compatible with a neighborhood center or with a location along major or secondary thoroughfares. Parking requirements are reduced in certain circumstances to promote use of transit and non-motorized transportation; shared parking and a district approach to parking are encouraged to lessen demand for off-street parking spaces. Certain establishments that serve alcohol for consumption on the premises are permitted without a spacing requirement in order to attract increased pedestrian traffic to the area

Approval of a rezoning requires the approval of the City Council after receipt of a report and recommendation by the City Planning Commission. This Zoning Ordinance map amendment

request is being considered consistent with the provisions of Article III, Division 3 of Chapter 61 of the 1984 Detroit City Code, the Detroit Zoning Ordinance.

You may express your views on this proposal by attending this hearing, by authorizing others to represent you, or by writing to this office prior to the hearing, 2 Woodward Avenue, Suite 202, Detroit, Michigan 48226 (FAX: 313-224-4336). So that all who are affected have a chance to voice their concerns, we suggest that you kindly inform your neighbors of this hearing, in the case that they were not notified.

With advance notice of seven calendar days, the City of Detroit will provide interpreter services at public meetings, including language translation and reasonable ADA accommodations. Please contact the Civil Rights, Inclusion and Opportunity Department at 313-224-4950, through the TTY number 711, or email <a href="mailto:crio@detroitmi.gov">crio@detroitmi.gov</a> to schedule these services.

For further information on this proposal or the public hearing, please call (313) 224-6225.

